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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**

**NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA - SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION**

PHILLIP R. CORVELLO, On Behalf of  
 Himself and All Others Similarly Situated,

Plaintiff,

v.

WELLS FARGO BANK N.A. d/b/a  
 WELLS FARGO HOME MORTGAGE  
 d/b/a AMERICA'S SERVICING  
 COMPANY,

Defendant.

Case No. 4:10-CV-05072-VC

**DECLARATION OF AMIRA JACKMON  
 SUPPORT OF APPLICATION FOR  
 SERVICE AWARD**

CLASS ACTION

Date: November 30, 2017  
 Time: 10:00 a.m.  
 Judge: Hon. Vince Chhabria  
 Courtroom: 4, 17th Floor

Date Filed: November 9, 2010

AMIRA JACKMON, individually, and on  
 behalf of others similarly situated,

Plaintiff,

v.

AMERICA'S SERVICING COMPANY  
 and WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A.,

Defendant.

Case No. 3:11-cv-03884-VC

Date Filed: August 8, 2011

1 I, AMIRA JACKMON, declare as follows:

2 1. I am a plaintiff and Class Representative in the above-entitled class action  
3 lawsuit. I make this declaration in support of Plaintiffs' motion for final approval of class  
4 action settlement, which includes a request that I be awarded a \$5,000 service award. I have  
5 personal knowledge of the matters set forth in this declaration and if called upon, could  
6 competently testify to them.

7 2. I have remained informed and actively involved in this litigation from before it  
8 was filed through the present. Indeed, I initially commenced *Amira Jackmon v. America's*  
9 *Servicing Company, et al.*, 11-cv-03884-VC (the "Jackmon Action") by filing a complaint *in*  
10 *pro se* in August 2011. For approximately one month, I personally litigated the matter,  
11 obtaining a temporary restraining order and an order granting a preliminary injunction.  
12 Because the bond and litigation time requirements were prohibitive, however, I sought the  
13 representation of experienced class counsel who had better means to litigate the case. From  
14 that point forward, I understood and agreed that my obligations as a class representative would  
15 supersede my individual interests in this case.

16 3. Starting before the First Amended (Class Action) Complaint was filed in  
17 September 2011, I assisted in the pre-filing investigation of the claims by providing substantial  
18 documents and information regarding my mortgage, mortgage payment history, and mortgage  
19 modification attempts. I have provided detailed accounts to my lawyers of the long ordeal that  
20 I and my children endured as a result of Wells Fargo's conduct that resulted in this lawsuit.  
21 I have remained in close contact with my attorneys, particularly Peter Fredman at the Law  
22 Office of Peter Fredman, throughout the litigation. Since September 2011, I met in-person  
23 with my attorneys on several occasions, and had dozens of telephone conversations and  
24 exchanged hundreds of emails with them. In addition to initiating communications about the  
25 lawsuit, I have promptly responded to the many inquiries for further information or documents  
26 and communicated regularly with my attorneys to keep up to date on the status of the case and  
27 proceedings. I reviewed many of the pleadings before or after they were filed, and provided  
28 comments and asked follow up questions about them. In response to Wells Fargo's discovery

1 requests, I had numerous calls and emails with my attorneys about responsive documents and  
2 information, and made extensive searches for responsive information. I reviewed and approved  
3 my final discovery responses, and provided my attorneys with many pages of confidential and  
4 financially sensitive documents that were then produced to Wells Fargo in discovery. I also  
5 searched for and provided extensive personal financial information in response to requests  
6 from my attorneys and Wells Fargo's counsel. These activities were time-consuming.

7 4. From the very beginning, I was aware of my obligations as a class  
8 representative, including the need to respond to discovery requests that might include personal  
9 financial information, to participate in depositions and other matters throughout the case, and  
10 to testify at trial. In signing the retainer agreement with my attorneys, I understood and agreed  
11 that I was not promised any compensation other than my share of what was recovered on  
12 behalf of the proposed class. Nonetheless, I agreed to become a class representative because of  
13 what happened to me and because I wanted to stand up for others like me. I have worked hard  
14 to fulfill my obligations.

15 5. Wells Fargo took my deposition in San Francisco on August 14, 2014. The  
16 deposition lasted more than five hours, and the day also included a couple hours of travel.  
17 I also met with my attorneys for several hours before to prepare. In preparation for our in-  
18 person meeting, I also participated in several telephone conferences with my attorneys, and  
19 made further searches for responsive documents and information.

20 6. In recent months, as the trial date was approaching, I was fully committed to  
21 testifying at trial in support of my individual contract claims and the claims certified by the  
22 Court for all Class Members.

23 7. I have also reviewed and approved the terms of the class action settlement.

24 8. Excluding my time spent litigating this matter *in pro se*, I would estimate that I  
25 have personally spent at least 50 hours in connection with the class action claims in this  
26 lawsuit.

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1 I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America that  
2 the foregoing is true and correct. Executed on October 16, 2017 in Berkeley, California.

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4 By: 

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on October 16, 2017, I electronically filed the foregoing with the Clerk of the Court using the CM/ECF system which will send notification of such filing to the e-mail addresses denoted on the Electronic Mail Notice List, and I hereby certify that I have mailed the foregoing document or paper via the United States Postal Service to the non-CM/ECF participants indicated on the Electronic Mail Notice List.

I certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed on October 16, 2017.

*s/ Timothy G. Blood*

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